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THEREOF

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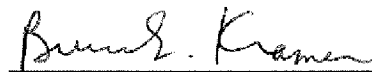
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実用・意匠特許出願宣言書および委任状 (37 C.F.R. 1.63)

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I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

ELECTROCONDUCTIVE RESIN COMPOSITION

AND MOLDED PRODUCT THEREOF

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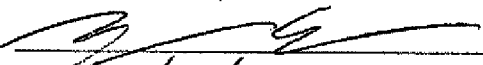
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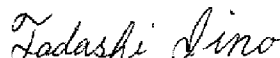
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